

REMARKS

This application claims priority to Application No. 258,285, filed June 10, 1994, now U.S. Patent No. 5,708,833 (the "'833 Patent"). Claims 1-5 are supported by the embodiments described in the '833 Patent as explained in the following table:

Table of Support for Claims 1-5 in U.S. Patent No. 5,708,833

Limitations of Claims 1-15	Support in the Embodiments Described in U.S. Patent No. 5,708,833
1. A radio card used in an electronic device having a device housing, a track for engagingly receiving the radio card, a first interface and a first antenna, the radio card comprising:	Card 10, device 11, slots (track) 14, pins 30 (first interface) Fig. 1, Col. 5, line 54 – Col. 6, line 34; first antenna 73, Fig. 12, Col. 7, lines 56-65; housing 112, Fig. 14, Col. 10, lines 9-12.
a card housing;	Housing 13, Fig. 1, Col. 5, lines 58-60.
a second interface, disposed on the card housing, that, upon receipt of the radio card by the electronic device, engagingly couples with the first interface;	Holes 31, Fig. 4, Col. 6, lines 39-44.
a radio circuit, disposed within the card housing, communicatively coupled to the second interface;	Radio transceiver 10A, Fig. 2A, Col. 5, lines 58-60
a third interface, electrically and physically independent of the second interface, disposed on the card housing; and	Contacts 15, Fig. 1, Col. 5, lines 63-64; contacts 69, Fig. 12, Col. 7, lines 56-59; contact block 17, Fig. 2A, Col. 6, lines 48-50.
the third interface being communicatively coupled to the radio circuit, and the third interface engagingly coupling with the first antenna upon receipt of the radio card by the electronic device via the track.	Contacts 15, Fig. 1, Col. 5, lines 63-64; contacts 69, Fig. 12, Col. 7, lines 56-59; contact block 17, Fig. 2A, Col. 6, lines 48-50.
2. The radio card of claim 1 wherein the electronic device also having a fourth interface, and the fourth interface, disposed along the track, coupling the third interface to the first antenna upon receipt of the radio card by the electronic device.	Contacts 16, Fig. 1, Col. 5, line 66 – Col. 6, line 3.

3. The radio card of claim 1 wherein the electronic device comprises a second antenna, and wherein the radio card comprises a fourth interface engagingly coupling with the second antenna upon receipt of the radio card by the electronic device.	Antennas such as 71 and 72 shown in Fig. 12 or 93 and 94 shown in Fig. 13; Contacts 20 (fourth interface), Fig. 1, Col. 6, lines 9-29.
4. The radio card of claim 2 wherein the fourth interface comprising at least one contact.	One of the contacts 16 shown in Fig. 1
5. The radio card of claim 2 wherein the fourth interface comprising a plurality of contacts that are disposed at different locations on the card housing.	Both of contacts 16 shown in Fig. 1.

Claims 6-15 are supported in the same manner as claims 1-5 in the embodiments described in the '833 Patent.

Claims 2-5, 7, 9, 11 and 13 have been amended to cure informalities.

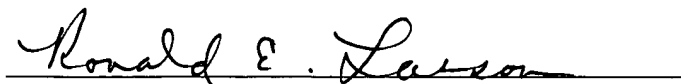
Responding to the claim rejections under 35 U.S.C. § 103, the rejection of claims 1, 2, 4-8 and 10-15 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Barzegar et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,559,501, "Barzegar") in view of Rasmussen (U.S. Patent No. 5,373,149) is respectfully traversed. Barzegar has a filing date of Aug. 12, 1994, which is later than the filing date of the application resulting in the '833 Patent for which priority is claimed in this application. As a result, Barzegar is not prior art with respect to the pending claims. As a result, the applicants respectfully request that the rejection be withdrawn.

The rejection of claims 3 and 9 under 35 U.S.C. 103(a) as being unpatentable over Barzegar et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,559,501, "Barzegar") in view of Rasmussen (U.S. Patent No. 5,373,149) and further in view of Erkocevic (U.S. Patent No. 5,420,599) is respectfully traversed. As explained above, Barzegar is not prior art with respect to the pending claims. As a result, the applicants respectfully request that the rejection be withdrawn.

In summary, pending claims 1-15 each is allowable, and such action is respectfully solicited.

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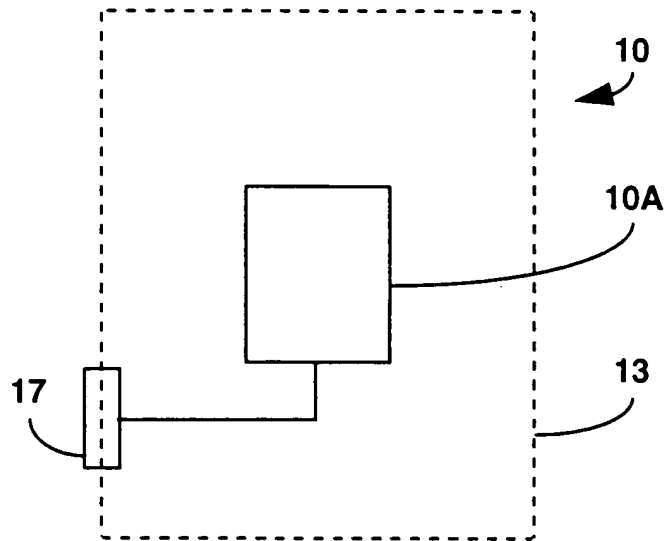


FIG. 2A

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